

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

On page 1 of the specification, below the title, please insert:

CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

[0001] This application is a National Stage of Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT) Application No. PCT/CN2006/001153, filed May 30, 2006, which claims priority to Chinese Patent Application No. 200510087707.1, filed August 5, 2005, all of the disclosure of which are hereby incorporated by reference in their entirety.

On page 3 of the specification, please delete paragraph [0016], which starts with “Therefore, under the double-ascription....”

On page 11, please add the following new paragraph after paragraph [0053]:

[0053.1] Therefore, the method and the PE in the embodiments of the present invention solve the problem how to fast converge the end-to-end service when a terminal node of the tunnel breaks down under the double-ascription network model, which may not be solved by the current MPLS TE FRR technique, therefore avoid the decrease in the service’s reliability.